



January 26, 2016

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## HOUSE BILL No. 1179

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DIGEST OF HB 1179 (Updated January 25, 2016 1:24 pm - DI 116)

**Citations Affected:** IC 21-12; IC 21-13.

**Synopsis:** Minority student teaching stipend. Provides that a minority student who participates in a school administration internship as part of the student's graduate degree program is eligible to receive a stipend from, currently, the student teaching stipend for minorities.

**Effective:** July 1, 2016.

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**Harris D, Smith V, Richardson**

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January 7, 2016, read first time and referred to Committee on Education.  
January 25, 2016, amended, reported — Do Pass.

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Second Regular Session of the 119th General Assembly (2016)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

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Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2015 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

- 1       SECTION 1. IC 21-12-13-2, AS AMENDED BY P.L.2-2014,  
2       SECTION 92, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
3       JULY 1, 2016]: Sec. 2. (a) This section applies to the following  
4       scholarship, stipend, and fee remission statutes:  
5               (1) IC 21-12-3.  
6               (2) IC 21-12-4.  
7               (3) IC 21-12-6.  
8               (4) IC 21-12-8.  
9               (5) IC 21-12-9.  
10              (6) IC 21-13-2.  
11              (7) IC 21-13-7.  
12              (8) IC 21-13-8.  
13              (9) IC 21-13-4.  
14              (10) IC 21-14-5.  
15              (11) IC 21-14-6-2.  
16       (b) Except as provided in section 3 of this chapter **and except for**  
17       **a stipend granted under IC 21-13-8 to an individual described in**

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1 **IC 21-13-8-1(2)(B)**, a grant or reduction in tuition or fees, including all  
 2 renewals and extensions, under any of the laws listed in subsection (a)  
 3 may not exceed the number of terms that constitutes four (4)  
 4 undergraduate academic years, as determined by the commission, and  
 5 must be used within eight (8) years after the date the individual first  
 6 applies and becomes eligible for benefits under the applicable law.

7 SECTION 2. IC 21-13-8-1, AS ADDED BY P.L.205-2013,  
 8 SECTION 329, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS  
 9 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2016]: Sec. 1. An individual may apply for a  
 10 stipend under this chapter if the individual:

11 (1) is a minority student;

12 (2) will participate in:

13 (A) student teaching as part of the student's degree  
 14 requirements; **or**

15 **(B) a school administration internship as part of the**  
 16 **student's graduate degree program;**

17 (3) has earned a cumulative grade point average upon:

18 (A) entering student teaching; **or**

19 **(B) beginning a school administration internship;**

20 of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 scale, or its equivalent as determined by the  
 21 eligible institution; and

22 (4) meets any other minimum criteria established by the  
 23 commission.

24 SECTION 3. IC 21-13-8-2, AS ADDED BY P.L.205-2013,  
 25 SECTION 329, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS  
 26 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2016]: Sec. 2. (a) A student who has applied for  
 27 the stipend under section 1 of this chapter and has been approved by  
 28 the commission may request payment of the stipend after  
 29 demonstrating that the student will engage in student teaching **or a**  
 30 **school administration internship** during the upcoming academic  
 31 term. **The commission shall give priority to student teaching**  
 32 **applicants when selecting applicants.**

33 (b) The stipend may not exceed:

34 (1) for a student with a cumulative grade point average of at least  
 35 3.5 on a 4.0 scale, or its equivalent as determined by the eligible  
 36 institution, based on the most recently concluded academic term,  
 37 five thousand dollars (\$5,000); **or**

38 (2) for a student with a cumulative grade point average of at least  
 39 3.0 and less than 3.5 on a 4.0 scale, or its equivalent as  
 40 determined by the eligible institution, based on the most recently  
 41 concluded academic term, four thousand dollars (\$4,000).

42 (c) The commission shall pay the stipend directly to the student.



## COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill 1179, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Page 2, line 31, after "term." insert "**The commission shall give priority to student teaching applicants when selecting applicants.**".

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

(Reference is to HB 1179 as introduced.)

BEHNING

Committee Vote: yeas 10, nays 0.

